

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
Re: Appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences

**PATENT
APPLICATION**

In re PATENT APPLICATION of
 Inventor(s): KADNER et al.
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Group Art Unit: 1103
 Examiner.: G. Straub
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Asst. Commissioner of Patents
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 Washington, D.C. 20231



Sir:

1. ☒ **NOTICE OF APPEAL:** Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision (not Advisory Action) dated June 4, 1999 of the Examiner twice/finally rejecting claim(s) in this application or in this application and its parent application.
2. ☐ **BRIEF** on appeal in this application attached in triplicate (extendable up to 5 months)
3. ☐ An **ORAL HEARING** is respectfully requested under Rule 194 (due two months after Examiner's Answer- unextendable)
4. ☐ Reply Brief is attached in triplicate (due two months after Examiner's Answer - unextendable).
5. ☒ "Small entity" verified statement filed: ☐ herewith. ☒ previously.

6. FEE CALCULATION

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7. Original due date: September 4, 1999			
8. Petition is hereby made to extend the original due date to cover the date this response is filed for which the requisite fee is attached.	(1 mo)	\$110/\$55	115/215
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	(3 mos)	\$870/\$435	117/217
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10. Subtract line 9 from line 8 and enter: Total Extension Fee		+135	
11. TOTAL FEE ATTACHED =		\$285	

12. ☐ *Fee **NOT** required if/since paid in prior appeal in which the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences did not render a decision on the merits.

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